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It is hereby requested that the time to submit a response to the Office Action mailed June 3, 2003 be extended by three months, up to and including **December 3, 2003**. The \$475.00 fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3) is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Order No. A-65680-4/RFT/SPL). This paper is filed under 37 C.F.R. section 1.34(a).

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